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TWENTY-NINE SPEECHES IN TWO DAYS.

THE LLOYD GEORGE-BIRKENHEAD DUEL

1 Reuter's Service.)

London, November 29. Fourteen speeches yesterday and fifteen to-day is Mr. Lloyd George's record for his Lancashire tour.

Lord Birkenhead at Ashton-under-Lyne to-day began his Lancashire tour, in which he replies speech for speech to Mr. Lloyd George. The later, after a tour in Wales has arranged to address a great demonstration in support of the Liberal candidate Mr. Walter ship Chun Sang, came before final embarkation being com- St. Andrew's Ball. Runciman on the eve of the poll at Brighton, where Lord Birken- Comdr. Beckwith, at the Marine pleted before moon. The advance Under the guidance of Mr. from the body of the theatre try Mouse: Arizona; Strathfarrar. head will speak later if his engagements permit.

Speaking at Prestwich to-day Mr. Lloyd George chiefly at- charged with absenting himself after arrival, and the remainder have transformed the interior of ticularly striking one. Old- Leaf; Yellow River; Ivy Leaf. tacked the Labour policy, which Lord Birkenhead also denounced.

"A BASELESS NIGHTMARE."

EARL BALFOUR ON SINGAPORE CRITICISM. London, November 29.

The students of Birkbeck College greeted Earl Balfour in grotesque fashion, after the manner of students, when he addressed them on "Current Topics." His Lordship defended the Versailles the morning of Nov. 11th., the Egypt, so there is none of the treated to represent the front ing, at the same time plenty of Leaf, Ramsbury (late Roman startand Treaty against contemporary criticism and believed that future historians would regard it as an immense work of constructive statesmanship under exceptional and extraordinary difficulties. He declared that the feeling which had arisen about Singapore was entirely baseless and founded on an entire misconception of the facts. Singapore was deliberately excluded from the Washington Treaty with the full consent and knowledge of the Americans and Japanese. Singapore could not be made effective for offence. Its he found that the pressure was civilian community. No doubt sole value lay in defence, because any British Fleet defending Australia and New Zealand must be based at Singapore. The suggestion that it was a violation of the Treaty was a baseless night mare.

RESTORATION OF HUNGARY.

LEAGUE OF NATIONS SCHEME.

London, November 29. The Financial Committee of the League of Nations, which met orderly manner. Mr. Platon in London, has prepared a plan for the restoration of Hungary by touched him on the shoulder and providing a loan of about 250 million gold crowns secured as a first rad him to go below to his duty. charge on the Customs, tobacco and salt monopolies and the sugar when suddenly defendant turned tar. Other provisisns are the balancing of the Hungarian Budget round and kicked him. Mr. by the middle of 1926, stabilisation of currency, formation of an Platon held defendant's wrists independent bank of issue, and the appointment of a Commissioner and there was a struggle. The General responsible to the League, similar to M. Zimmermann in engineer tripped up with defend-Vienna. It is believed that by the middle of 1926 Hungary will be ant on top of him, but just then able to maintain her position as a self-supporting State. The plan the chief officer came on the will be considered by the Council of the League on December 10." | scene. He tried to separate the

FREE TRADE AND DISINTEGRATION.

NEW ZEALAND PREMIER'S VIEWS.

London, November 29. Mr. Massey, the New Zealand Premier, addressing the Belfast The police there did not wish to Chamber of Commerce, said he had no hesitation in saying the prosecute and the British Consul [Colonel of the regiment on two house flag is identical with these British free trade system was detrimental to the interests of Britain. and British people. It had much to do with unemployment in Britain. The present system was suitable seventy-five years ago, but unsuit- kong. able now. Some people, and a few of them within our gates, looked forward to the disintegration of the Empire. It was the business of loyal citizens to counteract the efforts in that direction."

THE SILVER MARKET.

London, November 29. Reporting on silver, Mocatta's state that after the price gradual- sidered his behaviour on the 11th has not arrived with the crests, all of which are this year (Convener), A. K. Henderson,

ly rose to thirty-three and three sixteenths, it reacted to thirty-linexplicable. The Captain thought buttalion. three and one eighth on large selling orders from America coming in that perhaps defendant was temafter official fixing, extensive business being done below the official porarily affected by the heat and quotation. On the following day, with selling from, China, the price he had asked Mr. Webster not to relapsed to thirty-two and thirteen sixteenths, from which buying press for a heavy penalty. recommenced actively for India and China and it rose to thirtythree and a quarter, with a steady undertone.

TRIALS OF THE CHURCH IN RUSSIA.

Riga. November 29. A message from Moscow states that Archimandrite Nicolai Grabiansky has been murdered in his cell at Pecherski Monastery, Kieff. Jim.

It is reported that Patriarch Tikhon has appealed to the people to refrain from participation in political or religious debates in the churches. The Soviet authorities have arrested fourteen of Tikhon's adherents.

GERMAN SEPARATISTS SENTENCED. Cologne, November 29.

The Separatists who were arrested in the British zone have been sentenced to six months' imprisonment for possessing firearms. The President of the Court said he was not prepared to give judgment on political questions, but the British could not tolerate the entry of to see why Capt. Moore had record. The regimental badge is fully-armed men into British occupied territory contrary to the ordinances of the Rhineland High Commission.

GERMANY MUST APOLOGISE.

Paris, November 29. It is semi-officially stated that the Conference of Ambassadors Court. has prepared a Note for despatch to Germany demanding a formal apology for the recent molestation of members of the Inter-Allied Control Commission. The statement adds that the British delegates associated themselves unreservedly with their colleagues.

THE NEW GERMAN CABINET.

Berlin, November 29. Herr Marx, a Centrist, has formed a Cabinet, of which he is Chancellor, Herr Jarres is "Minister of the Interior, Herr Strosemann is Secretary for Foreign Affairs, and Herr Gessler Minister of Defence. The new Cabinet is approximately of the same character as the last, except that it contains more representatives of the considere that the chief officer Right parties.

A RUM-RUNNER'S REGISTRY.

London, November 29. It now appears that the schooner Tomako, seized by the Americans, is registered at Nassau, in the Bahamas, and is owned by a company resident in Canada. It is not yet known whether this company has any British backing.

MILLIONS OF GERMANS UNEMPLOYED.

Berne, November 29,

The unemployment in unoccupied Germany on November 15th was one and a quarter million, compared with under a million on November 1st. The unemployed in the occupied regions are over two millions.

"CHUN SANG" ENGINEER.

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ASSAULTED BY STOKER.

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RANGKOK RIVER INCIDENT.

Court, this morning. He was party took over barracks shortly George Duncan, busy workers the scene will be a par- St Andrew's Quaich :- Clover from duty without reasonable ex-lof the battalion marched out of the building into a fitly-decorated fashioned lamps will light all Trossachs' Handicap:-Orient cuse, with assaulting Mr. A Platon, the Naval Yard by the Prince of gathering place and when a re- tables; whilst on the Chieftain's Dahlia; Drake; Pencastle. the third engineer, and with re- Wales gate later in the forencon presentative of the Telegraph table will be representations of Gorbals Gallop:-Roman Sparfusing his duty and thereby put- A fair number of the general paid a visit to the Hall this morn-old-time drinking mugs with row; Olive Leaf; Lighting. ting the ship in a dangerous public gathered to see the ing. the finishing touches were ancient candelabra above. In Dumfries Plate:-Laurel Leaf; position.

Mr. R. E. A. Webster (for com- quarters. plainant) said about 10 o'clock on went up on deck and found de- ments. fendant sitting by the foremast. He called him, and defendant came along in a respectful and two and he in turn was attacked by defendant. The matter was reported to the Captain and defendant was put in irons until the ship reached Bangkok. at Bangkok advised the Captain to bring proceedings in Hong-

Webster proceeded, the defendant Lt Col. Ashton also saw service rampant, surrounded by whiteelewas placed under open arrest, on the Staff with the West ctric lights. The whole forms a He was perfectly well behaved African Frontier Force from very striking item in the scheme. on the way from Bangkok to September 19th, 1908, to The upper landings are suitably Hongkong, and the Captain con- August 13th. 1911. The Colonel decorated with Clan shields and

Mr. Platon gave evidence in support of Mr. Webster's opening. When he saw defendant on deck. he said, he caught him by the arm and said, "You get below, Sunny

Captain C. R. Moore who also gave evidence, replying to Comdr. Beckwith, said defendant signed on that trip, and had not to his knowledge been with him before. Whether he had been in any of the Company's other steamers he did not know.

asked for clemency. He con- the united red and white rose. sidered it a particularly outrageous case. "This is not a

Comdr. Beckwith asked witness if he was perfectly sure that the third engineer did not strike defendant. "He didn't have a black eye or a bleeding nose? Comdr. Beckwith queried. "He looks as if he had been run over. but that is only natural."

Witness replied that defen- 1899-1901. dant's face was marked, but he was justified in striking him.

pretty rough-is that why you Platon gave him two slaps; on ask for clemency?

Capt. Moore:-Yes; that is one of the reasons.

Mr. B. Bidwell, the chief officer, gave evidence in support of the case against defendant.

OUR NEW REGIMENT.

FRIDAY

NOVEMBER

ARRIVAL OF THE 1ST. BN. EAST SURREYS.

The new infantry battalion, the shire berthing alongside the night for the first of the big social moonlit Highland scenery, with Hamilton Sprint:-Mopoke; A Chinese stoker, of the British Naval camber about 8.30, and the events of the winter season, the a "wee burn whimpling down Olive Leaf; Maine. new arrivals march to their being given to a scheme of the cirle of the theatre the tables Rivergrass; Maine:

The East Surreys come from ship was lying at Pak Nam, at bloom of Old Blighty on their of a Highland castle, ivy- room for the servers. Top lights Pride), Petrol King, Starland, the mouth of the Bangkok River. cheeks, but they are a fine, well-covered and battlemented will be subdued as much as Arizona, Orient Dahlia, Drake. She had been there about two set-up crowd, and no doubt walls giving a realistic touch. possible adding to the picturesque hours. When the stand by thoroughly seasoned to garrison The ladies' entrance is on the effect of the scheme. went the third engineer went duty in a hot climate. Their down to the engine-room. When showing in the realm of sport and dressing room, whilst the p.m., and there are 22 items on the steam cocks were turned on will be keenly watched by the gentlemen's entrance and cloak the dance programme, not includonly 120 pounds. Going down to they will exhibit much of the entrance is trellis-lined and gives menu card is a tastefully the stokehole he found only one prowess, especially in football on to the main stairway, simply got-up souvenir, bearing the The report that General Chan stoker on duty instead of and boxing, that has come to be but effectively treated with ferns shield and sword of St. Andrew King-ming's forces have evacuattwo. Mr. Platon, the engineer, associated with British regi-

THE OFFICERS. Surreys include quite a number bar counter complete. Suitably among the items, included in late, the retreat has caused conwho were decorated for service in adorned with pictures illustrative which is, of course, the "great siderable speculation. In some the late war. The commander is of the national life and also with chieftain o' the puddin' race." Lt. Colonel Cecil Charles Gough flags and palms, the men's rendez-Ashton, O. B. E. He was born on yous has been well thought out. December 17th, 1870, and joined In the Library also has been 1892. He was appointed Lieuten-jone is confronted on the first from August 19:h., 1914, to April Mr. R. Sutherland, is connected On the return journey. Mr. present rank dates from 1919, sees the Scottish shield, with lion-

> are: -Major R. C. Campbell, light refreshment room is a have Paton. Capt. J. F. Drake. Capt. G. E Swinton, M.C., Capt. W. G. Kent. Capt. C. E. Lugard, Capt. G. W. H. Rowe, Lieutenants G. W. Kennedy, M.C., C. D. Armstrong. M.C., P. H. Drake-Brockman, D. J. Allfree, C. J. Yeo, A. L. Sutton, M.C., A. E. Cottam. M.C. and V. W. Richards. 2nd. Lieuts. E. A S. Cope, L. W. Pendred, D. A. Searle, and D. V. H. Buckle. and R. S. M. W. Maynard.

FINE RECORD

The 1st. Battalion of the East Surrey Regiment is the old 31st. Comdr. Beckwith said he failed Foot, and has a fine military The regiment's war service goes back over two hundred years, to girls' school," the Marine Magis- the action at Gibraltar in 1704 trate told witness: "it is a Marine and 1705. Then the regiment took Sans Peur." This , will be George Duncan (Convener) and previously called on board the part in most of Britain's overseas illuminated and will form the Messrs. A.B. Ramsay, J. Simpson. Jules Ferry. and Continental campaigns, in- most conspicuous cluding the battle of Dettingen, the the Peninsula War, the first clan Afghanistan campaign, Sevasto-hung pol, the taking of the Taku Forts in China, New Zealand, Afghanis- the ante-room to St. George Hall son, G. M. Shaw, N. C. Wilson, tan in 1878-79, Suakin in 1885, the is a large picture showing the W. Logan and A. R. H. Phillips. Relief of Ladysmith, and the general South African War of

Comdr. Beckwith: You think the third engineer. Mr. Platon the chief officer handled him stopped him and he resisted. Mr. the face and defendant kicked officer knocked him cown.

TO-NIGHT'S" BALL.

1923.

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decoration well worthy of the have been arranged to follow the Champions:-Fern Leaf; Ramstradition of the occasion.

left and leads to a ladies' cloak Dancing commences at 9.30 CANTON SITUATION. room are on the right. The centre lings two "extras." The supper WHY DID CHAN RETREAT? and other greenery. On the left and tied with a bow of tartan ed Shekling has now been conof the main stairway will be the There is a patriotic and famous firmed. Their first line of defence main card-room, whilst on the quotation from the writings of Sir is now at Wang Lik and Cheung right will be found the popular | Walter Scott whilst the National Mok Tao. As there has been no The officers of the 1st. Bn. East "Auchtermuchty." with long Poet's lines are interspersed severe fighting in this region of

7th Bn. of the Easter Surreys inasmuch as this year's Chieftain. 16th., 1915, being Temp Lt with the well-known firm whose occasions in the late war. April national embleins. Above the mir-22nd to July 20th., 1915, and July ror is a large illuminated thistle; 31st, 1915, to July 23rd, 1916. His whilst reflected in the glass one Over the middle doorway of the Logan, W. Brown, A. B. Stewart, magnificent stag's head, with antlers complete. There is also Wilson, A. G. Simpson, M.C., T. the usual ladies' room on the

right of the corridor.

THE BALL ROOM'S. The two main ball rooms. together with the ante-room |-Dr. C. Forsyth (Convener), Mr. and refreshment room, have R. Macgregor, Dr. J. C. Dalmahoy been treated with long blue white festoons, extending from the cornice rail down to the -Mr. D. Harvey (Convener) Dr. ing the Guard of Honour drawn floor-simple in the extreme yet strikingly effective. In Andrew's Room, a big portrait of Paton, D. Lyle, A. Davidson, R. ment House, accompanied by Robert Burns graces one end, M. Macalpine, J. M. Jack, T. the French Consul-General, whilst at the other is another re- Oliphant, A. McFarlane, T. Neave, M. Kromer, and Capt. Neville, presentation of the Scottish T. Petrie, R. Hunter, J. Hyde, His Excellency the Governor's Shield. In St. George's Room the D. McMurray, J. W. R. Mc-A.D.C. After the call on the big picture of the late Queen Phail, A. M. F. Simpson, Governor, the Admiral met the Victoria is draped with large blue W. Brown, G. B. Dunnett, W. G. General Officer Commanding at and red ensigns, whilst at the Lawson, S.T. Williamson, J.H. Headquarters House where another end, and facing the dais, is Scott, T. G. Patterson, T. S. Mor-other Guard of Honour had been Chieftain Sutherland's crest, a rison and P. W. Ramsay. rampant tiger with the motte Decorations Committee.-Mr. Commodore Grace, R.N., had shields

D. Templeton, (Convener) and around of the various rooms, whilst in Duke of Gordon, the work of Mr. George Duncan. The whole scheme of the upstairs rooms is one of blue and white, Scotia's V.D.C .- Pipe-Major J. B. Ross, national colours.

CHIEFTAIN'S BARONIAL HALL.

The feature of this year's dethe supper room has been treated. him. He did not notice the chief As the official supper party desofficer coming, and the chief cends the stairs, it will cross over Smith, George Duncan, A. a drawbridge and pass through Duncau; G. A. Jack, R.R. Bell "Despatch" will play at the the massive stone entrance (port and W. Forsyth. Comdr. Beckwith found all cullis and all complete) of an three charges proved. He con-old-time Highland; castle. A among those present to-night commende of 9-15 p.m. Page sidered that defendant's conduct stone passage way leads on will be Mr. P. S. Jamieson of The Hand Grand Opera Defendant, in the box, said he was such as to prejudice good to the banqueting hall, the Tientain, who was about time Company their season at asked-the No. 1 Steman if he order and discipline. He would thesire stage, really. And here Secretary of the Honey or the Stage of the could go on deck to the latrine, sentence him to these months the old time atmosphere has been Bociety, and the latrine.

detail. Bare tables lighted by horn lamps, a great fire-place with a roaring log fire before which two dogs will lie (" Dan " and "Kelpie"), deer-skins on the floor

with Claymores and armament hanging on the stone walls. Old NOVEL SUPPER ROOM SETTING. armour suits stand on guard by 1st. East Surreys, arrived this Practically all Hongkong will the open window, through which ing to-morrow the "Captain" morning, the transport Derby foregather at the City Hall to- is seen a background of typical favours the following:-

AND PER ANNUM.

over the rocks." As seen Kilmarnock Handicap: Coun-

THE COMMITTEES.

Mr. Robert Sutherland is this state that a change of tactics is the Army in 1892, being gazetted found room for additional men's year's President of the Society, being contemplated. with Mr. J. Reid as Vice-Presid-Surrey Regt. on Lugust 13th, Ascending the main stairway, ent Other members of the General General Hsu Sung-chi, a secret Committee are Messrs. R. Shewan movement has, taken place J. W. C. Bonnar, R. M. Dyer, G. amongst the Cantonese troops on January 14th. 1901; and flanked by the two white and M. Young, Hon. A. O. Lang and idea of protesting against the Major on May 3rd., 1911. azure national flags of Scotland. Hon. A. G. Stephen (Past Presi-He was in command of the This is particularly appropriate dents) together with Measure. G. favour shown to outside troops Hogg, W. Nicholson, J.B. Ross, in financial matters. The de-Dr. C. Forsyth, A.K. Henderson. T.S.B. Nicoll (Hon. Treasurer) and venue-collecting organizations

D.K. Blair (Hon. Secretary). The assisting committees are :-Invitation Committee.-Messrs. W. Nicholson (Convener), K.E. Greig, J. McCormack, P. Tod, W. Adamson, B. Wylie, and A. Ferguson together with

General Committee. Dancing and Music Committee.-Messrs. W. Armstrong Governor, has left for Shanghai. surmounted by two Scottish B. Ross, L. M. Whyte, F. M. thistles, electrically illuminated. Crawford, George Hogg, D. C.

J. D. Kinnaird, R. G. McEwen. Neil Drummond, W. Hyde, P. D. Tallon, F. G. Walker, W. Gallowsy, Stewart Hope, A. Mc-Ewen and J. Bartholomew.

Allan, Dr. J. C. Macgowan.

J. A. Urquhart, Dr. Morrison and up in front of the landing Messrs. A. S. MacKichan, J. W. stage, proceeded to Govern-

item in D. Keith. O. F. Savage, G. Murusual lay and R. M. Henderson. Card Room Committee .- Mr.

> Messrs B. Wylie, H. W. Mathe-Honorary Pipers and Drummers. The Pipe Band of the Scottish Company of the H. K. Cpl. Piper T. Tallon, Pipers R. G. McEwen, Neil Drummond P.

M.C., Adam Gray, A. Ferguson. corations is the manner in which A. McEwen and E.H.R. O Farrell. Drummers. - Cpl. Drummer Wilson Brown, Drummers W.

Douglas Wilson, A. Grant Simpson

It is interesting to record that Saturday Dec. 1st. Dancing will

THE GYMKHANA.

THE "CAPTAIN'S" SELECTIONS.

At the extra Gymkhans meet-

line of the circle so that all diners bury; Petrol King. Probable The main entrance has been will be facing the stage, provid- starters :- Clover Leaf; Fern

quarters it is attributed to shortage of rice supplies, whilst others

Consequent on the departure of mand will be that the fewhich are controlled by the Yunnanese, be handed over to the Government and that the revenue be henceforth divided according to the strength of the various armies. It is stated that the Yunnanese commanders are aware of this movement and are taking steps to counter it.

Lio Chung-hoi, the ex-Civil It is said that he bears a message from Dr. Sun to General Hsu Sung-chi requesting him to return, on promise of good terms.

FRENCH ADMIRAL.

Ladies' Cloak Room Committee. MAKES OFFICIAL LANDING-

Admiral Frochot made his official landing at Murray Pier Supper and Wines Committee, this morning, and, after inspectassembled to receive the visitor.

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EARLIER TELEGRAMS.

18 GERMANY ARMING?

Well-informed quarters discredit the statement attributed by Le Matin to General Bingham, head of the central section of the Allied Military Control in Germany, that disarmament in Germany iras completed months ago.

It is pointed out that the latest note of the Conference of Ambassadors to Germany plainly intimated that a number of the military clauses in the Treaty of Versailles had not been carried out to the satisfaction of the Allies. Since the despatch of this note, owing to the occupation of the Ruhr, no Allied control had been exercised and, meanwhile, large numbers of men exceeding the Treaty establishment had been rapidly training militarily.

Experts are of opinion that, owing to the French occupation of the Ruhr, Germany is at present unable to provide herself with artillery, but Krupps have cultivated close relations with Russia and Sweden, though it is not yet possible to ascertain whether this concerned the manufacture and supply of guns. It is also pointed out that the Allies have not secured more than half of the rifles in Germany. There is little doubt that the German small arms factories are turning out these and ammunition on a large scale. Altogether the situation is regarded as a potential though not an imminent menace.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA'S DISPUTE.

Tokyo, Nov. 29. To-day the directors and shareholders of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha are holding a general meeting when the situation created by the attitude of the employees at the Company's offices at home and abroad will be fully aired.

Changes in the Company's regulations, which it is alleged handicap the land employees to the advantage of the marine employees, have tended to accentuate relations between these two sections of employees, which always have been antagonistic and have resulted in a reported threat by the land employees to resign en bloe unless their grievances are remedied.

Despite the belief by the Company's officials that the question will be easily settled, developments are being watched with great interest not only by the employees but by numbers of local shippers. who will be largely affected should the trouble take a more serious

RAILWAY PROTECTION IN CHINA.

Peking, Nov. 29. The detailed plans of the organization of the Railway Protection Bureau passed the Cabinet on Tuesday and were approved by Chih Ling by mandate in the Government Gazette to-day.

The Bureau will be under the Cabinet's direct control. The Minister of Communications has invited the provinces concerned to send delegates to a meeting at the Cabinet office on Saturday, after which the plan will be pror ulgated.

General. Wang Chun-chen has been appointed commandant of the Chihli Bridge which will guard the Tsinpu Line.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS.

Paris, Nov. 29. The Matin's Madrid correspondent learns from a good source that during the visit of the Spanish Sovereign to Rome the question of the formation of a Latin bloc was discussed, which might result in Spain, Italy and several South American republics withdrawing from the League of Nations.

Naples, Nov. 29.

Their Spanish Majesties sailed amid the cheers of a huge crowd. King Alfonso previously reviewed the cruiser squadron and sent a very hearty message to Premier Mussolini, inviting him to Madrid.

CANADIAN TRADE.

Ottawa, Nov. 29. The trade of Canada for the twelve months ended October amounted to \$1,920,000,000, an increase of \$357,000,000 as compared with last year. Imports increased by \$172,000,000 and exports by \$179,000,000. The balance of trade in favour of Canada was \$32,000,000. Trade with the United Kingdom increased by \$64,000,000, imports being \$23,000,000. Trade with the British Empire increased by \$91,000,000 of which imports were \$31,000,000, and trade with the United States by \$211,000,000 of which the imports were \$127,000,000.

THE GERMAN CABINET CRISIS.

Berlin, Nov. 29. After a series of failures in Cabinet making, Herr Stegerwald of the Centre Party has given up the attempt to establish a Coalition Government on the broadest Bourgeois basis, owing to the opposition of the Democrats. Herr Ebert will probably dissolve the Reichstag very shortly if a settlement of the political crisis is not reached.

COLUMBIAN "REDSKINS."

Victoria, B.C., Nov. 29. The British Columbia Legislature has passed a resolution opposing the enfranchisement of Indians in the province. The resolution is to be forwarded to Ottawa for consideration.

THE SILVER MARKET.

New York, Nov. 29. A number of important silver producers are arranging to bring mandamus proceedings to compel the Federal Treasury Department to buy twelve million ounces.

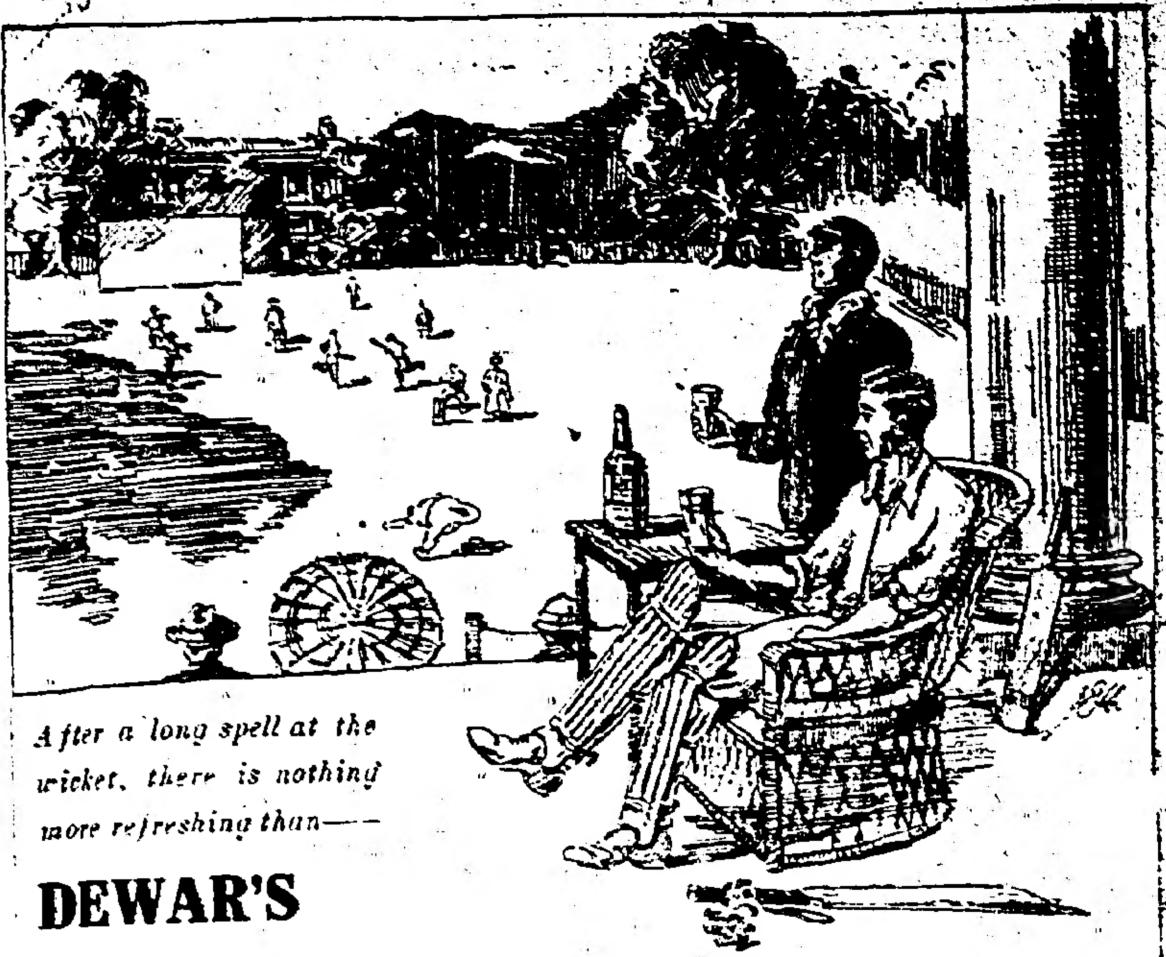
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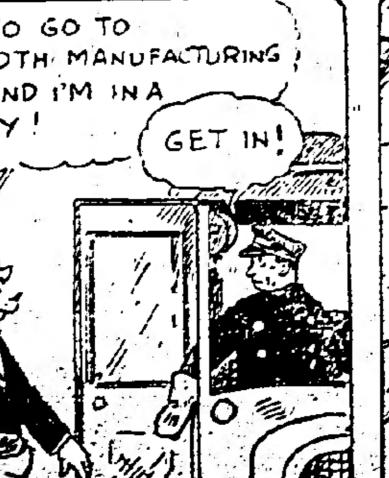
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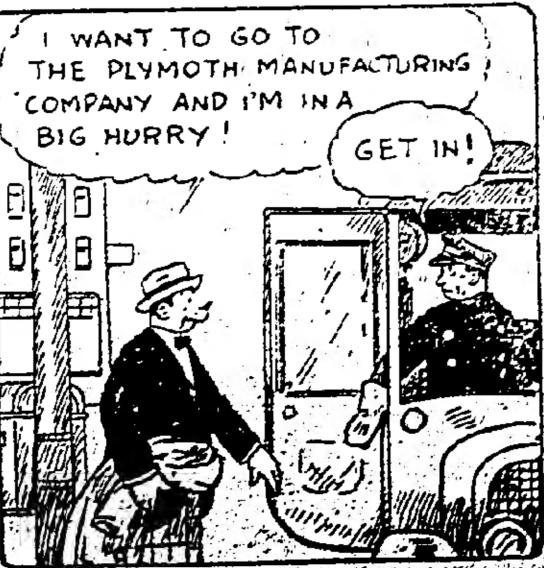


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SCCIETY'S ANNUAL

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

MEETINO. The President then Mr. H. Pollock) conducted the proceedings loaded on board s stemper where at the annual general meeting, the Society for the Prevention Crucity to Animals held in Messra, Jardine, Matheson's Board room ast evening. He was supported by Mr. R. E. Lindsell (Vice-President) and Mr. O. Skinner (Hon. Treasurer).

The Chairman, in his opening speech, said that much had been done towards the improvement the conditions of animals birds of all sorts—but very still remained to be done. gress was being made in the work bring districts more instruction nessed the landing of pigs at West was badly needed. He, himself, Point I am speaking from personal had witnessed at Shek O kids being knowledge and can assure you that skinned while yet alive. They need it is not a humane exhibition. more Inspectors which necessarily meant more funds.

Inspector Fisher's annual report. which had recently been published in the Press, gave an excellent idea of the varied nature of the work which had to be done Hongkong Island, in Kowloon and in the New Territories. The thanks of the Society were due to him for the diligent way in which e had performed his duties during the past year.

Dogs' Home.

During the year, the Hon. Mr. Pollock continued, we have been much occupied with the question of building a new Dogs' Home of our own as a gift from Lady Clara He Tung to commemorate Sir Robert's 51st birthday. Many sites have been visited and plans discussed but unfortunately the possibility of carrying out scheme has fallen through, owing to a misunderstanding as to the amount of money which Lady Clara He Tung was prepared to put up for the purpose. We are now

the general funds of the Society. What we need is a Home on a sure dealing with the whole questionsuitable site convenient for the comprehensively, because it will Our thanks are due to Compublic to visit with a view of re- obviously be of great advantage not mander Beckwith, R.N., who filled covering lost dogs or buying a only for our Society but also for the post of Vice-President during dog-and if possible where dogs the general public to have our most of the past year, and who could be kept and cared for while 3.P.C.A. itws consolidated so far as did much useful work as Chairman their owners are away from the possible into one Ordinance and of Sub-Committee. Our thanks

The present Dogs' Home is few minutes walk beyond the Polo Ground on the same side of the road and anyone losing a dog would Canton, the unsuitable nature of the do well to apply there as well as to the Police. There are also present cruel method of landing liogs for sale there, which have to be destroyed unless homes are cattle. Other steps in regard to found for them. Unfortunately the site of the present Home has been sold and the Government will power to go aboard ships accordingly have to build a Home S.P.C.A. purposes only. At present elsewhere.

Through the generosity of Mr. the courtesy of the ship officers. M. J. Patell we are now able to supply the dogs at the Home with as being punishable acts of cruelty, and thus relieving me of a good food free of cost to the Society.

Lethal Chambers.

A Lethal Chamber with observation windows and electric light has recently been constructed by Mr. E. R. Dovey for the Society, at the Government Laboratory (near the Government Civil Hospital), and he has kindly taken charge of i In this way dogs and cats can painlessly and speedily be put to

The charge for cats and small dogs is \$1 and for large dogs \$2. An appointment should be made partly dealers to the Chinese Chamwith Mr. Dovey by telephone ber of Commerce on the subject of prosecution for the overcrowding of No. 54.

Export of Cats to Canton. Few people realise how many cats are shipped out of the Colony on prosecution by our Inspectors, and under what conditions. Three boats leave for Canton evening and each takes its load of cats-packed into crates so tightly

possibility of their moving without

struggling and fighting. Cats are domestic animals, and many of those shipped away may be our own lost pets enticed from their homes by cat catchers. One regulations for the feeding of and does not care to think of them as giving of water to animals and the human food.

that in many cases there

Personally I should think that here in this lolony with the recurall the cats we can get and that it ported would be advisable to pass & law thankful to state that the Govern- the year ending 31st October, 1923, Vin Ufford, Mrs. Roffey, stope to at least prevent the quelty will notice that we are carrying Notice Mil Al Stevenson, Mr. S. W.

The conditions of the per trad are indeed deplorable from begin ning arend. At the port Item we ch they are shipped they are jammed into crates of split bamboo which

performed in this Colony over and for several days they remain in

this cramped position without food or water, and without being able to move, and on arrival here they are dumped from the steamer into junks, and trom junks, are again dimped on to some landing wharf. There, with the aid of bumboos from the sharp edges of the crates tinue to pay \$2 per annum

is to have a general landing place The next item of our accounts, at Kennedy Town where cattle and subscriptions and donations, inpigs and other animals can walk cludes \$1,000 from the Jockey ashore along a gang way instead of Club, and \$500 from Lady Chater being slung up and dumped into and on the same side of the acinks. In the meanwhile it is pos-count you will notice a donation lible for means to be, adopted of by Mr. M. J. Patell of \$300 for alleviating some of the unnecessary food at the Dogs Home. These suffering. Rounded rattun crates as generous gifts are most highly

mise cruelty as far as possible. Turning now; to the payment side of the accounts, we must expect during the coming year that His Excellency the Governor has the item for Inspectors' salaries ringly procured, for us a copy of will be much larger during 1924 hoping that she may be willing to the Ceylon Laws relating to cruelty lowing to the employment, which is give a sum of money instead to to animals. We hope shortly to necessary, of two Assistant Inspec-

> Thanks. are also due to our energetic Honorary Secretary, Mr. B. L. necessary have beer already referred Frost for his labours on our behalf during the past year, and I am sure that I am only expressing your views when I say that we in his recent sad bereavement. Our thanks are due too to Miss D. E. Frost, for acting as Assistant Treasurer and taking shorthand notes at our Committee meetings and transcribing the minutes. they can only board ships through have also to thank Mr. R. E. Lindsell for acting pro-tem as honorary 2. The definition of certain acts Secretary during the past month This is desirable from two points deal of work. Our thanks are also due to Mr. J. H. Ramsay, for hav-(1) as informing the public of the ling acted as Honorary Treasurer standard which the Society is of this Society for more than 2 years and to Mr. O. Skinner for (2) as a warning to persons who having kindly taken the Treasurermight otherwise ignorantly ship in Mr. Ramsay's place and for consenting to act as Honorary 3. We want to make provision for Treasurer during the ensuing year. Messrs. Jardine Matheson & Co. adopted for the transport of for having kindly permitted us to use their Board Room for this In connection with the letter which has recently been addressed by the present meeting and also for our monthly Committee mertings during the past year. I now beg to

during the past 12 months there were only two instances in which, ed was unanimously carried.

Officers were elected as under: Hon Mr. H. E. Pollock, President; Mr. R E Lindsell, Vice-President; Mr. B. L. Frost, Hon Secretary; Mr. O. Skinner, Hon. Treasurer. The following were elected on the

overcrowding his chickens and 850 in March for a second similar Committee: Mrs. Baker, Mr. J. P. Braga, Mr. C. C. Boyd, Mr. A. Dyer We also desire to make it more Ball Hon Mr. Chow Shou-son, Mrs. clear than at present that certain De Martin, Mr. E. R. Dovey, Mr. F. A. Davidson, M.R.O.V.B., Mr. F. IL Dillon, Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, Mrs. R. M. Dyer, M'se D. E. Fr'st, een voyage apply to animals when Hr. Ho Pook, Mr. Ho Kom tong, Mrs. they are being imported as well as Hyland, Mr. Ip Lan chuen, Hon. Mr ring epidemics of plague we need to them when they are being ex- it. H. Kotowall, Mr. Kwok Soi-lan, Mr. Y. P. Law, Mr. La. Wing-kwong, Mr. F. J. Macarthy, Capt. Oxepring. prohibiting their export I am Turning now to our secounts for R.A.V.C. His Policely Mise Quarter ment at the present time are taking which you have got before you you Bemington, Mr. A. F. B. Bil-

Against St. 104 St. becauses for ward behis time tast year, but these figures the not give ground for mood settle faction owing to the fact that we require two Assistant Inspectors at reast to seeist Inspector Fraher; in the varied work which has to be ruts into the first. They are next the crates are piled tiers upon tiers,

Accordingly our Society needs all the pecuniary support which it can get in the ensuing year, and we would urge all those who are interested in S.P.C.A. work to now join the Society. With a view to increasing our funds we shall also be suggesting presently at the extraordinary general meeting, to be held at the close of this meetmost of them with cuts and injuries ling, that whilst our members conmany of them in an exhausted and heretofore there shall be instituted distressed condition from thirst and a new class of members, to be callof instructing the Chinese in the suffering from cramp and, in some ed donating members, whose subhumans treatment of animals and instances with broken legs. Those scription will be \$5 instead of \$2 birds, and prosecution was only hat can walk are driven up to the per annum. Mr. O. Skinner, of resorted to in what appeared to be Slaughter House and those that for the Hongkong and Shanghai a bad case of cruelty and usually various reasons canot walk are car. Bank, has now taken over

only after warning. In the out- ried on rattan mats. Having with the honorary treasurership, and I should like to add that members will much assist him in his work by sending in their subscriptions as soon as they are applied for because the Society What we hope for in the future has no shroff of its own.

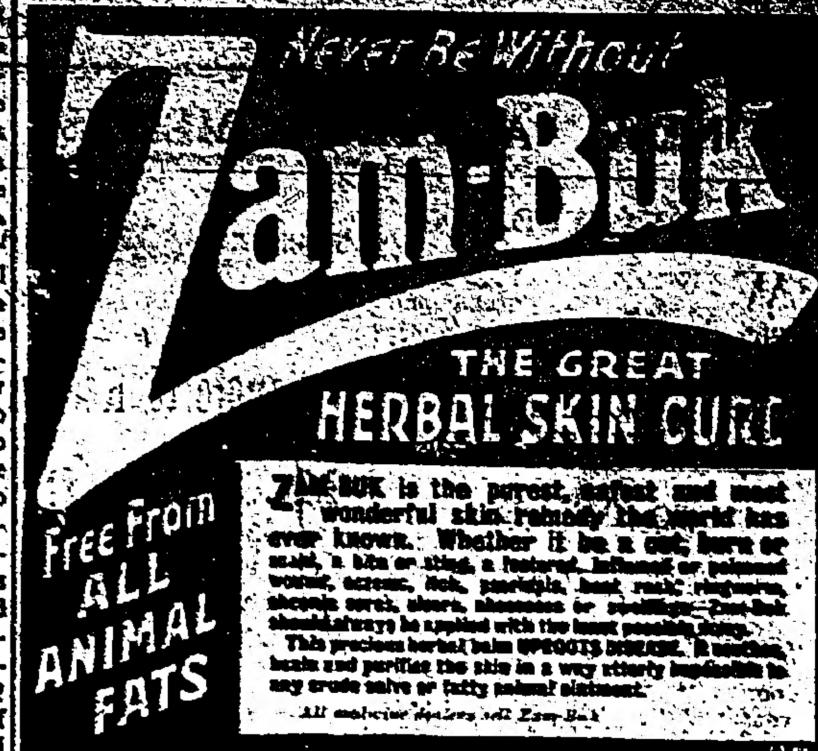
used in the Straits Settlements appreciated by us. (Applause).

should be substituted for the split. The fancy dress ball which was hamboo. Canvas slings for dis given by the Society on the 6th harging cattle, sheep and goats March last, resulted in a nett gain not take the place of ropes round of nearly \$2,900; as you will see from the accounts. The thanks of in horns and bodies which cause the Society are due to the energetic committee of ladies and gentlemen who devoted so much time to enquiring into the conditions of the successful carrying out and perfecting of all the arrangements for the ball, which we hope to repeat again next March and establish as an annual fixture.

submit to the Government a mea- tors during the coming year.

very much sympathize with him In conclusion I desire to thank move that the Report and Statement of Accounts for the past year be adopted:

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> W. F. SIMMONS, For and on behalf of

Liquidator. Hongkong, 5th Nov 1923.

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Sheet and the Profit and Loss

Account, to elect Directors and

Auditors, and to declare Divid-That the Transfer Book in THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB. respect of Shares will be closed from December 2nd. to December 15th., 1923, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board. TIENMU K. LIN,

General Secretary.

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MAIN EVENTS.

at the

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eral Meeting of the Company will THE HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB

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C. B. BROWN. Secretary.

N Extra Gymkhana Meeting

will be held (weather permitting) at Happy Valley on Saturday 1st December 1923 commencing 2.45 p.m.

The charge for admission to the Public Enclosure will be \$1 .-Soldiers and Sailors in uniform half price.

Members are advised that they must show their badges to obtain admission to the Members' Enclosure.

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Hongkong, 26th Nov., 1923.

instructions to sell by Public ture for the nine months. January nauseating medicines.

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following: visions.-1,034 visits were paid to outer triangle must add up to the the poor in their homes during same total. Example of moving: the first nine months of 1923, if 9 is changed for 5; 81 and 25 Relief in money and provisions must also be changed. The desirfor the nine months amounted to ed result may be obtained with \$5,643.50, as against \$6,947.50 for lonly two transpositions.

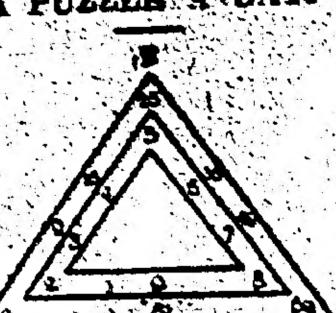
the 12 months of 1922. Housing Accommodation. - The housing problem in Hongkong! still remains unsolved, and con- times among the letters shown tinues to be the cause of no above, the following sentence will little anxiety to the general be formed: public of the Colony, but NO FOOL COOKS GOOD FOOD the extent to which the present high rents and shortage of accommodation affect the very poor can be realized only by personal visits Principal dimensions. - Length to their homes. The typhoon of 18th. August of this year deprived several of the Society's poor of their humble dwellings, and quarters had to be secured elsewhere at increased rentals. The expenditure for the nine months, dicine of their own, made of such January to September 1923, ingredients only as cannot possibamounted to \$2,130.50, as against ly do them harm, and put up in

Temporary Relief and Passages desired effects. for Local Destitutes .-- Continued Baby's Own Tablets precisely Permission to inspect the vessel commercial depression has con- answer this description, being siderably increased unemploy-absolutely free from harmful ment, with the result that the drugs or opiates, and equally safe-Society has again had to meet and helpful to the infant in arms several appeals for passages to as the child of six years or more. other ports where the applicants Furthermore, they have the adhoped to find better opportunities vantage of being tasteless, pleasof earning a living. Passages ant in appearance, and free from were provided only in those cases all the horrors associated by chil-

vided, was \$253.40, as against infantile indigestion, constipation, \$622.07 for the 12 months of 1922. colic. diarrhoes, simple fever. for European and other Destitutes worms. Almost like magic they from Outside the Colony .- The bring calm health-giving sleep in Society has again had to deal a natural way. Your chemist with many cases of this nature sells Baby's Own Tablets, or post during the past nine months. The free, 60 cents per vial, from Dr. scheme adopted at the meeting of Williams' Medicine Co., 60 Kiang-Dining Suites, Chesterfield Sofas, representatives of various local se Road. Shanghai. Arm-chairs (new), Ten Tables, charitable organisations which Diamond, Pearl, Emerald, Teakwood Becs, large and small was convened by the Government whom the Home was transferred Wardrobes, Dressing Tables and last year, has not worked as in February of this year. The Chairs, Washstands, etc., Side-satisfactorily as was expected. Council takes this opportunity to boards, Dinner Waggons, Crockery The Council is of the opinion that record with gratitude the exand Glass Ware. Cutlery, Carpets a central organisation should be cellent services rendered by the and Rugs. Electro-plated Ware, formed, to be financed by the Sisters of Ganossian Institute. Electric Reading Lamps, Teakwood Government and the various The rules of their Order oblige the Screens, Blackwood Teapoys, Mar-charitable societies, for the pur- Little Sisters of the Poor to beg ble-top Flower Stands, Side Tables pose of investigating the cases of each day for maintenance of their destitutes recently arrived in the charges, and do not allow them

Poor, Kowloantong. This Home the Home by the Board of has filled the want for which it Advisers. mas established. At its inception | Annual Government Brant in December, 1920, the Bociety The Consolidence to these the was fortunate inhaving the Sisters Government, Low in the Consolid Institute to take convenient for the Consolid Institute to take convenient for

A PUZZLE A DAY.



In the inner triangle in the drawing, the figures from I to 9 are arranged in order. The outer triangle contains the square of each number (that is, the number multiplied by itself and each is in a position in the outer triangle that corresponds to its root in the

ed, its square must be moved also: Relief in Money and Pro- and at the finish, each alley of the

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Colony, granting temporary as to have any source of fixed sistance, and, if necessary, pro-lincome. On taking over the viding passages to other ports. . Home the Little Sisters therefore Education of the Children of renounced the fixed monthly tants. One Large Telescope, Five the Poor.-The Society has allowance which the Society had always been deeply concerned in hitherto provided for its support. (Full Particulars from Catalogue). the provision of education for the The Society is grateful to the children of the poor. It has con Government for the encouragetinued to maintain its two ver ment which it has extended to nacular schools-the .. Kailar the Little Sisters of the Poor. School at Wanchai and the St. The present Home is already Vincent de Paul School at Mong- much too small for the accomkok. The daily average attend- modation of the aged poor who ance for the first nine months of have been sent, or have presented 1923 was 85 and 16 respectively, themselves, for admission, and Besides maintaining these two many have had to be refused. vernacular schools, the Society A large site near Kowloun city, also pays for five destitute orphan has, however, been offered by girls as boarders at the Italian the Government, and it is hoped. Convent, two boys at St. Joseph's that the building of the new College, three boys at St. Louis Home will be put in hand next. Home and two boys at St. year. In the meantime the Society Joseph's Seminary at Macao, will confinue to pay rent for the The Society is grateful for the present building and a few reduced charges made by these incidental charges such as teleschools. The Society also pays phone and light. During the curthe school fees of 34. day rent year the Society has supplied pupils attending St. Joseph's immediate wants, such as College, 33 girls at the blankets, mattresses, etc., and Italian Convent and 12 Chinese these, with the rent, and other hoys at the vernacular schools, incidental charges, amounted to The expenditure on education \$1,873.71 for the first pine months amounted to \$5.643.50 for the first of this year, as against an ex-9 months of this year, as against penditure of \$4,088.60 for the 12 \$5.213.36 for the 12 months of months of 1922, The Council wishes to record its deep appre-St. Joseph's Home for the Aged ciation of the interests taken in

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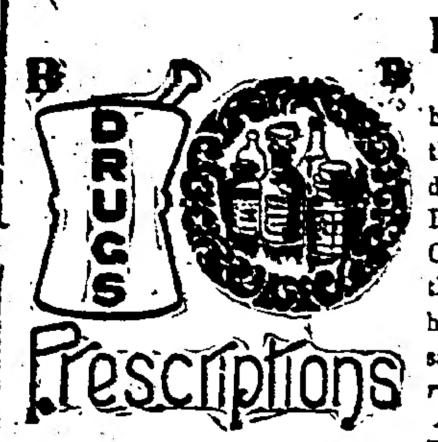
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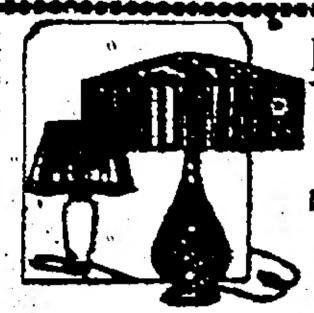
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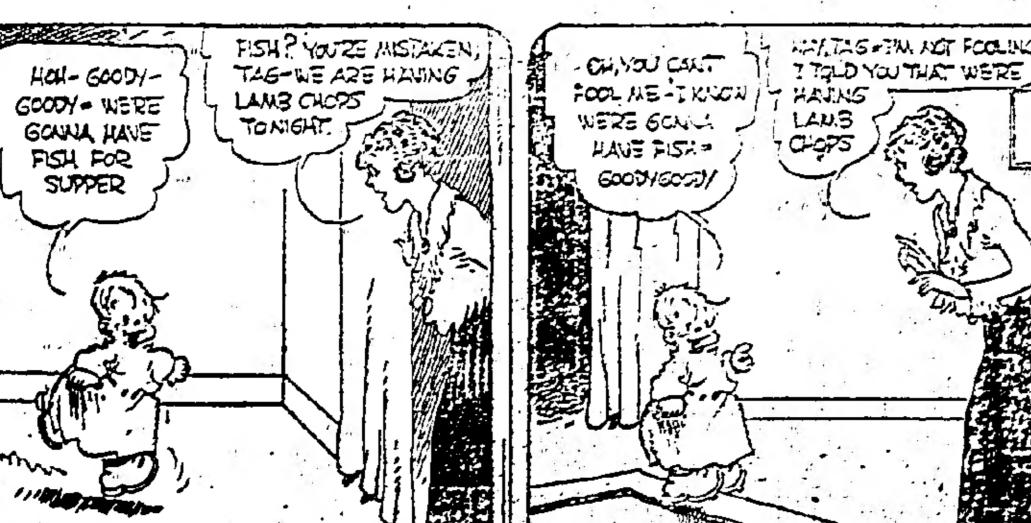
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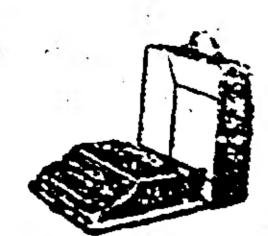
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SEIZURE OF BRITISH SHIPS.

complaint made by one ship are unduly impressed by the the twelve-mile limit treaty had pie-crust variety. not been signed, is merely an admission that he was steering Harbour Life-Saving. as close to the line of prohibition as he could manage. It is time the Americans have been very means of life-saving in

with them. region has been found inadequate wisdom to make a start, even brought before the magistrate betaught to cultivate the capacity of the prevent this traffic. There in a small way.

can be no proper objection to this proposed procedure search, for if a vessel is engaged in innocent trade, it has nothing to fear from an investigation of its cargo. The Americans have offered certain important "concessions in exchange, and have definitely stated that the twelvemile limit is designed to meet a special case and must in no way be held to alter the international ruling as to the three-mile region of territorial waters. All negotiations have hitherto been carried out in a spirit of mutual goodwill and tolerance, and it now lies with the British Government not only to come to a definite decision as soon as possible, but also to refuse further coddling mittee. of any ship's crew who are ploved to be engaged in smugour neighbour across the Atlantic. anything in favour of prohibition, may desire them. MUSTARD & Co. but white it is the in in the law in the but while it is the law in a friend-

Storm Warnings.

always appear to be more or less at variance. That, we suppose, is People anticipating travelling that so much depends on the learn that the Admiral Oriental body, the formation of good I come from scenes of boyhood's particular typhoon signals which Line has received a cable from habits and the instilling into the strife, particular typhoon signals which Line has received a cable from plastic mind of the child re- In school time and vacation; approaching storms. In this con- is required of all crew and pasat Chinwangtao, of pneumonia, nection, we certainly do not envy sengers arriving from Hongkong. the position of the Director of the the regulations being the same as Observatory or his assistants. before. They are often without precise information from other centres, and if they hoist the signals too other side they are blamed even more still. To strike the happy medium and please everybody seems an impossibility. Even an Observatory official is human. At the same time, the shipping interests, of the Colony have a right to expect the best possible ing the matter. As for another which is so desirable. If that is the charges be further reduced. vessel which was seized, we are so, then the matter should be told that no action will be taken promptly remedied. The interests at stake are so important that until the question of the vessel's there can be no justification for paper printed in English, the registry has been settled." It is any kind of misunderstanding be- Conton Gazette having made its and a useful citizen. obvious that ships, British or ing perpetuated. We are therefore appearance, being precisely looking to beneficial results from 5imilar in style to the Canton that the authorities there should be, of immense value to this want to suppress the traffic. The Colony, we cannot say that we or part affiliation of any kind."

which the Colony experiences Britons realised that this is not there are various suggestions put harbour. At last, we appear to tolerant of those several flagrant have got down to something conto land prohibited drugs, and as as to be in touch with the Haralcohol as a prohibited drug it with this craft. The Shipping amounts almost to the same | Sub-Committee of the Chamber | limit treaty be signed, the better, commendations to the Govern- Watson's Chinese branch store at adaptability in practice, but even appreciate the fact that they have ment. What we trust, however, Stephens' Building was ordered this could be excused were the in their keeping the whole moral is that the matter will not be to pay \$10 on each of four charges subject made realistic and in and mental status of the distinct of the status a disgrace to their fellows of the permitted to rest there. In the for failing to stamp receipts, we teresting so that it would at least generation, and if mercantile marine engaged in past, suggestions have been made are informed by the Secretary of have the saving grace of stimulational only appreciate. carrying legitimate cargo, can but never acted upon. We want the Company that the statements ing the mind. How often children of their person to be prepared for the next contained in the report are incor- repeat events and dates in history the plastic n get their deserts without being typhoon, whenever it comes rect. The facts of the case," simply by an effort of memory, under their case. able to bleat to their Govern- along. It is now conceded that state the Secretary, "are that without the ability to associate ment to interfere on their behalf. if in August last we had some Wong Shek-chuen who is in such dates or events with condi-All the United States now re- such service as Commander charge of the Company's West tions of the time and the sur- we could't Beckwith suggests, many lives Point branch (Queen's Road rounding circumstances; and how quest is that their officials be might have been saved. That West) is allowed to trade in soon such dates and events are permitted to search British ships fact in itself is sufficient to agrated waters on his own ac forgotten when school is left. suspected of liquor smuggling warrant early action. Later on, count, and it was in respect of What we need in education is Hou within twelve miles of the it might be possible to further his own surated water business quality, not quantity, and ample the add to the life-saving facilities, that the unstamped receipts were time for earnest thought and the American coast. The three-mile But it would be prudence and issued, and for which he was classification. The child should be

DAY BY DAY.

IN A TRULY FREE STATE NO BODY CAN BE CONSIDERED FREE UNTIL HE HAS EARNED HIS KENP AND NOBODY CAN BE CONSIDER ED A GENTLEMAN IF HE IS MEAN ENOUGH TO STOP AT THAT.—Mr. Bernard Shaw.

the President McKinley to-day.

Mr. B. L. Frost, Mr. F. B. Marshall and Mr. J. Bartholemew were passengers from Shanghai by the P, and O. liner Kalyan.

A Singapore paper learns that an opium commission for Malaya will shortly be appointed in accordance with a request of

We are asked to state that gling liquor into the territories of there will be a special squad of taxis outside the City Hall to-It might be impossible to say the convenience of those who

Sir Claud Severn was unfortunately prevented, by a previous engagement, from being present and moulding the character of at the annual general meeting of the young in their charge. the S.P.C.A. Sir Claud has kind-For some reason or other, the ly shown his sympathy with the into two periods of seven years the following, from a metrical shipping interests of the Colony work of the Society by sending a each. The first seven years, and our Observatory officials donation of \$50.

hardly to be wondered at, seeing to Manila will be interested to measure of warning given of effect that small-pox vaccination

soon they come in for criticism that Mr. Hsin Ko-chai, repre- appreciate the moral qualities of regarding interference with shipp- sentative of Marshal Chang Too truthfulness, sympathy and love, ing, whilst if they err on the lin, arrived at Canton on Tuesday and should be so guided in its to confer with the Constitutional childish activities so as to be kind leaders here important questions and considerate, and not harsh, of the country. After his arrival selfish and grasping. Punishment Mr. Hsin immediately went to without due reason will bewilder, terview Dr. Sun Yat sen.

In correspondence with the The cables inform us that this be guaranteed. In the Britain has made representations past, we fear there has been a following complaints regarding without fear of rebuke or Home leave, is the best of its kind. about the seizure of an alleged certain measure of estrangement the force of the charges being punishment, turn to its parents we have ever read. but space as between the officials of our used in dynamiting the s.s. rum-running ship by the Ameri- own and other Observatories. Loongsang, the charges have for help, love and advice. can authories outside the three- Shipping men say that there is been reduced from eight to six. The second seven years of the Of the serious verse "Typhoon." mile limit, and that the United still lacking that full degree of catties. The Chamber has re-child should be devoted to the Relief" is the most outstanding, States Government is investigated and the Signamest Observators plied that complaints are still training of the body and the mind. although the series on The and the Siccawel Observatory being made, and has asked that The body should be trained by Coronation," "The Exiles," the

Canton again has a daily news-

EDUCATION.

HARMONIOUS DEVELOP-MENT OF THE CHILD.

[BY "F. T. S."]

Lately the question of education and the methods best The Rev. J. T. Holman left by calculated to impart knowledge to the young has engaged the attention of educationists, and those interested in the welfare of the young, who are to become the citizens of the future. Even our small Colony this vexed question has been brought to the notice of the public again by Board of Education. hardly necessary to point out the absolute necessity of intelligent League of Nation Opium Com- consideration of this very vital question, which has such reaching results, when it is verse to free verse. The foreword realized that the future status of an excellent piece of proce by a nation depends upon this harmonious and intelligent training of the young. This article splandid introduction for the is written in the hope that some of the suggestions put forward may prove of interest and of help reading can surely claim to he both to parents and teachers in their great work and responsibility of educating the mind is represented here in all fts. A child's life may be divided

which are spent mostly under College magazine and of its the care and tuition of the dissemination to the four quarters parents, should be given to the building of a healthy physical ligious and moral ideals by the I mirror forth the class-room life, example set by the parents. The VIII. to Matriculation. child should be made to appreciate the necessity of being truthful and should be encouraged to express its childish views, hopes By tram to Happy Valley: and aspirations, and, by love and The Canton Gazette states encouragement, led to see and the General Headquarters to in- in the first place; produce fear, revealing the mentality of the and, in time, to avoid punish-student during the five minutes ment a child will become before dismissal, shows rare skilling cowardly and untruthful.

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disguised as British, are still at the latest conversations between Daily News; which recently sus-sent-day methods of education is literature. Now that Queen's the lucrative game of smuggling the Government and the Chamber pended pulication. It is stated the feverish attempt to overload College has shown the way, it is liquor into the United States of of Commerce on the subject. As to be "strictly a private organ as the mind of the student with all to be hoped that the University, America, and it is natural enough to the installation of a station on distinguished from a Government manner of knowledge without and the other institutions for the Pratas Shoal, which would organ, and is owned by a private giving him time to assimilate higher education in the Colony merchant with no governmental the knowledge received or the will show us that education, as. opportunity of working over the word is interpreted in British the material poured into his head. Institutions, is not the bread and. The only aim and object of butter business some imagine. Chinese Government's promise Our Picture Page to-morrow present-day schools seem to be but a seeking after the higher. master, that he was outside the Uninese Government's promise our ricture rage we more present day schools seem to one things of life. There can be not better form for propagands in the three-mile limit and understood promises nowadays are of the local interest. These will include a tions within certain given periods. better form for propagands in the group photograph of the Scottish The unfortunate result is that Far East, and British prestice Company of the Defence Corps, children merely repeat what they stands to gain by the circulation taken after the church parade on have been taught, without think. far and wide of such books as the Sunday, as well as another snap- ing over, or analysing, what they one now before us. shot showing the Company march- have been told. In other words, "Scales from the Dragon" is on After every serious typhoon ing back from church. Then the very powers of reasoning, sale (price \$2) at Messre Kelly there will be three photographs analysing and observation are and Walsh, Mesers. Brewer and of the wedding of Capt. Cross and subjugated to the one aim and and Co., and at the College. playing the game," and that forward for the adoption of some Miss Denison—one of the bridal desire of the teachers—the passcouple, another of the group ing of prescribed examinations taken at Government House, and which shall bring credit and a third showing the guests leav- glory to the school concerned. faculty should be given every We would not like to think of proposal has now been made by pictures of more than usual inor not the pupil, by the fact He should not be made a machine the provision of a powerful tue. The sketches drawn by of his having passed his only capable of reproducing what American schooners hovering the provision of a powerful tug, Mr. H. W. Bird of a general view examination, has acquired the has been put into it, but rather as of the Hongkong street in the power of reasoning and whether transmuting medium capable of. to land prohibited drugs, and as as to be in touch with the Har-British Empire Exhibition and of the United States now look upon lifeboat to work in conjuction alcohol as a prohibited drug it with this craft. The Shirming fare.

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BOOK REVIEW.

SCALES FROM THE DRAGON.

We have before us a book of verse, called from "The Yellow Dragon," the magazine of Queen's College a magazine which has been in existence for twenty-four years. Mr. W. Kay, the editor of the magazine, is to be congratulated on his selection of the "Scales" and the printers, Ye Olde Printerie, Ltd., are to be congratulated on the attractiveness and general typographical excellence of the publication.

The verse, written by masters and pupils of the College, reflects not only the multiform life of the College but life as it is lived in Hongkong. The tone is now grave, now gay and the verse for forms are of all types from blank the Professor of English at the University is a real one; uninitiated. He writes: "Link" verse in the making and the perpetual interest to every educated man. And light verse varied aspects."

There are some really admirable Thumb-Nail Sketches, mostly of masters of the College, whilstaccount of the evolution of the of the globe, is worth quoting:-

I go like lightning to the Peak, I'm eagerly pursued by Sikh, Burmese and dusky Malay. I guide the councils of Pekin And reach secluded Lhassa And form the topic of a gin In Cape Town and Mombassa.

Of the sonnets, "The Last Lap," A in choice of words to convey the forbids the printing of extracts.

The book as a whole has. is guaranteed not only among. The greatest fault of the pre- Old Boys but among all lovers of

AMERICA'S IMMIGRANTS.

Trying to Solve Big Problems.

ation by proposing that all im- to the Central Police Station. migrants should be excluded for the next five years and Asiatics for all time. However, the proposal made at its conference to revert to the selective methodapparently indicating that the three-per-cent. law should abolished-will be welcomed by many people in and out of the United States.

The author of the scheme, Dr. £10,000,000! Sidney Gulick, could hardly reuntil they had actually passed the inspection of the officials at tained-in America and elseunless a system of consular inspection at centres near the immigrants' original homes is adopted. After the consul's consent is obtained, there should be no further trouble.

MORE ARMS.

POLICE COURT CASES.

Prior to the departure of the French coaster Jade, for Hoihow and Haiphong yesterday morning. a search was made by the police among the effects of the Chinese steerage passengers. In a rattan basket which had a false bottom two automatic pistols and one revolver, all fully loaded for use were discovered, and this lec to the arrest of one of the passengers. On being examined at the Tsim Tsa Tsui Police Station vesterday, this man made a statement that he was given the arms by a friend to take into the country. Inspector Spear is applying for the committal of the prisoner to the Criminal Sessions.

In an application for the confiscation of arms seized recently at the Kowloon Disinfecting Station, before Mr. J. R. Wood at the Police Court this morning, Sub-Inspector Reynolds said that a criminal warrant was out for the arrest of a blacksmith. This man, who had absconded since the discovery, was employed as blacksmith at the Station, and it was from his room that the arms. comprising three revolvers and one automatic, as well as 66 rounds of ammunition, and 28 blank cartridges, were taken.

His Worship made the order for the confiscation of the arms.

HOCKEY.

On Wednesday, the Club me. the Tamar at the U.S.R.C. From the beginning, the Tamar pressed and soon scored, but, shortly afterwards. More equalised for the Club. The latter now began to attack vigorously and Evans shot a second goal from near the edge of the circle.

In the early part of the second half, the Tamar drew level after a short corner, but More, a little later, added a third goal for the

The Tamar now began to thrust vigorously and the Club strove hard to keep them out of the circle, but despite their efforts the Tamar scored their third goal some five minutes before the end.

Both teams now tried hard for another goal but without success and the conclusion was a draw of three goals each.

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JOURNALIST. Mr. Harry Gullett, author of Company's messenger in the heart the Australian official history of of the Settlement business district the war (seven volumes), and one and escaped by automobile with of the most distinguished upwards of half a million dollars.

Australian journalists will visit worth of negotiable securities. Peking towards the end of this The messenger was carrying the month. Mr. Gullet is represent securities to the Bank from the ing a group of Australian papers. Stock Exchange.

DAY BY DAY.

There were 13 further cases of small-pox notified yesterday. All were Chinese.

There is unconscious humour the year was made by the Shang- milk, and allowed to stand in the recommenation of the hai Municipal Police last Satur- overnight. Pliny describes this American Legion that the im- day at 121 Canton Road, where nearly 1900 years ago, and it was migration laws be made simple nearly 650 lbs, valued at \$50,000 a favourite of the prophet and effective. The Legion itself was found after a raid. Five Mahomed, who made its use has shown the way of simplific- Chinese were arrested and taken lawful because it was not

> Germany recently bears one days in warm weather, especially stamp of 200,000,000 marks face in the unclean vessel used in its value. It is coloured brown and manufacture, it quickly becomes bears its value in figures and let- alcoholic. But as no definite ters, perhaps in order that people time can be designted when it will not mistake its value. This passes from the class of temperate sum, at the pre-war rate of ex- drinks to that of illicit beverages, change, would represent about the Arab lets it stand as long as

gret its decease, for he had pro- After an absence of several is a permissible beverage. In posed it as a way of restricting months, during which she had communities that boast ice-plants, immigration of Asiatics without been engaged in the annual sum- sherbets and ice-creams are nowmaking them feel the offensive- mer cruise, H.M.S. Hawkins, a days favourities of the Arabs ness of the colour bar. Con-flagship of the China Squadron, during the summer. In Syria gress has taken the plan, but has returned to the Colony this these frozen dainties go under left the colour bar just where it morning, her last port of call the name of 'buzeh,' a Turkish was. Perhaps the three-per-cent. being Shanghai. His Excellency word which the English language law has been unduly unpopular. Admiral Sir Arthur Leveson was has borrowed and degraded The old system was equally hard on board. The usual salutes to booze. on the poor immigrants from were fired and were replied to by Europe, who were in doubt as to the French squadron and other their admission into the country foreign men-of-war in the harbour

Ellis Island or elsewhere. What- which the kiddies will be delight- shown some excitement, is an ever mode of restriction is main- ed to possess is the Christmas achievement not without parallels list of toys and gifts issued by on the British side of the where it will do grave injustice Messrs. Whiteaway, Laidlaw and Atlantic. A few years ago Company. It contains fifty pages St. Bride's Episcopal Church, of illustrations, setting forth an Glasgow, was raised from its amazing array of seasonable gifts, foundations in Beaconsfield-road, including all the latest types of fitted with wheels, and drawn by toys, and is enclosed in a striking means of traction engines to a coloured cover showing Father new site in Hyndland-road, Christmas "broadcasting" toys, negotiating a steep gradient en A glance through this catalogue route, and Leigh-on-Sea witnesswill help in solving the Christ- ed a similar feat in 1909, when a mas-present problem, whilst the small church was transferred youngsters will find much in it to bodily from one site to another amuse and please. Copies can some streets away." be had on application.

N.Y.K. "STRIKE."

meeting, the President (Mr. Ito) tribution, which includes five assured those present that the type-set stamps with French reports of internal disorder had included in the inscription. The been grossly exaggerated. It was little republic of San Marino should resort to extreme methods. Letter" stamp and seven red The reorganisation of the service cross stamps, whilst Ireland's system, necessitated by the effects modest contribution is a 4d. pany's business, was timely and to become a worry to the collecinevitable but was evidently misunderstood by certain dissatisfied pear on the stamps, and the certainly very limited in numbers. every He believed the situation had creates a new variety. rapidly improved. A dividend of ten per cent. was declared. -

PERISHABLE CARGO

ACCEPTED AS DEFENCE. When the master of the s.s. Wo Kwai came before Comdr. Beckwith, at the Marine Court, on Tuesday, charged with working cargo on a Sunday without a permit, the defence was that the cargo-green chestnuts and green

ginger -was perishable, and the

Magistrate adjourned the case to

find out if this was so.

This morning. Comdr. Beck-CLUB DRAW WITH TAMAR. with announced that the Chinese Chamber of Commerce considered that this cargo was of a perishable nature and if kept an extra twenty-four hours the quality would have deteriorated. Therefore he would dismiss the

BANK MESSENGER ROBBED.

BOLD DAYLIGHT OUTRAGE IN SHANGHAL

Shanghai, Nov. 29. Armed robbers held up a messenger of the Tung Yih Trust Company this morning in the centre of the International Settlement escaped with approximately three hundred and thirty thousand dollars worth of negotiable Government Bonds .- Reuter.

(Our Own Correspondent.) Shanghai, Nov. 29. Six Chinese robbers overturned the riceha of the Tung Yih Trust

TO-DAY'S MISCELLANY

A hot weather drink table of great antiquity in Arabia The biggest opium seizure of macerated in either water or alcoholic. It is, however, highly insipid to Occidental tastes. A letter sent to Shanghai from When allowed to stand for a few he pleases, and comfort his conscience with the thought that it

The removal en bloc of a sevenstorey house from one street to An attractive publication another, over which Chicago has I

Like Tennyson's river the philatelic tide flows on for ever. there is never a week throughout the year without some new GROSSLY EXAGGERATED." stamps making their appearance somewhere. Now Germany has Tokyo, Nov. 29.-At the N.Y.K. made its superfluous conunbelievable that office staffs comes out with an "Express tor, for advertisement are to apmembers of the staffs, which were question will arise as to whether fresh advertisement

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Sig. E. Giletta (tenor).



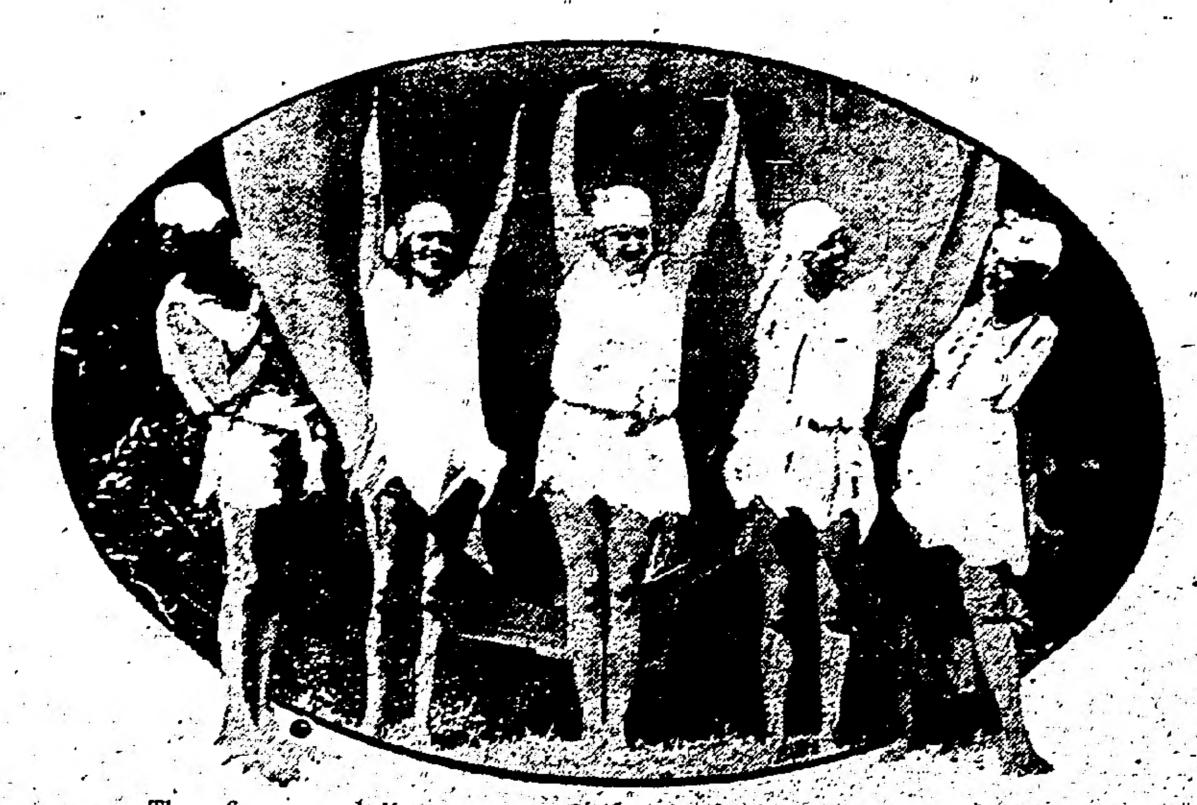
Sig. E. Chiara (dramatic tenor).



These workers are grafting together parts of two trees for propagation of bette horticultural species.



Signor V. Scamuzzi (baritone),



These five young ladies are among the 300 women students of the University of Callfornia summer school who appeared in the swimming targetal.



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in a home journal. I cannot play bridge, or any. game in which cards are a sine-

Watching a player shuffle his thought of the number of combinations in which the shuffler could possibly arrange those 52 pieces of coloured paste-board. In a game of whist or bridge, where each player receives a hand of thirteen cards, selected from the 52 the total possible number of different hands which may thus be selected is greater than six hundred thousand millions. The exact number is

635,013,559,600. of paper to fill in all the figures than that of the whole solar in a single line. The figure begins system as at present known. with 80, and is followed by sixtysix other figures.

AMAZING FIGURES. Let us suppose that two thoueach supplied with a pack of possible arrangement of the fiftytwo cards and that they workyears further back and we find sixty-eight figures," the

of Egypt. And lastly we find enough -Ex. that a period one-fifth of our hundred thousand year takes us back a great way beyond the remotest fact of authentic history.

Well, we imagine a population the total number of arrangements | the metropolitan area. several times over. But it would t

Mathematical : calculation proves in fact that the number of card arrangements produced un-

UNFATHOMABLE PACK. fraction so minute in fact that it is necessary to devise another scheme of concrete representation in order to convey some idea of its minuteness.

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"almightness" of various other produced by the human race asmighty forces in life, out you have calculated above is represented not, perhaps, fully appreciated by a single drop of water. " How the "almighty almightiness" of a many such drops of water then pack of cards, observes a writer would be required to symbolize the total number possible? "Surely,". you would suggest, " a glass of water would be enough." qua-non: My sense of the fitness But no, "A bath-tub of water of things would not permit me, then?" No. "A reservoir as large I would as soon trifle with a las the Tala canks?" Again no. gramme of radium, conscious of The Atlantic Ocean?" But no its wonderful dynamic forces, as The number of drops of water in toss about, in wanton idleness, a the Atlantic Ocean, the Pacific and all the water in the oceans, seas, lakes and rivers on the face of the earth would not be cards! I cannot dissociate the sufficient. Nor would the whole earth were it made of water from the centre to the surface be sufficient. Nor would the sun similarly constituted, be sufficient. Inconceivable as it may. seem, yet to obtain a mass of water containing a sufficient number of drops, it would be necessary to imagine a globe of water, with a diameter equal to seven thousand and twenty-five millions of miles. If such a globe were taken with its centre in This figure, large though the sun, then Neptune, the reit may appear is not comparable motest planet in our solar system. with the total number of arrange- would be immersed therein to a ments in which the fifty-two depth of no less than seven cards may be placed after the hundred millions of miles. In shuffle. It is not possible to other words, such a ball of water quote this number, there would would have a diameter about not be enough room on this sheet | twenty-five -per cent. greater

These results although so surprising are actually mathematically correct. Let us see how the calculation is done. First, any sand millions of human beings, one of the fifty-two cards may be chosen as the top card, next any cards, were to attempt every one of the fifty-one remaining cards may be selected as" the second card, so that the two first Every description of Banking ed unceasingly, day and night, cards may be chosen in order in and Exchange business trans- at the rate of one new arrange- fifty-two times fifty-one, or two ment per second for a period of thousand six hundred and fifty-Savings Department paying 4% one hundred thousand years. To two ways. There then remain per annum on deposits of \$1 or get some idea of this it should fifty cards any one of which may be remembered that the entire be selected as the third card, from population of the earth to-day is | which it results that the first estimated at one thousand six three cards can be chosen in hundred millions. We are there- order in fifty times two thousand fore assuming that the card six hundred and fifty two or one Manager: Mr. Has Ling Hung. | shufflers are about 25 per cent. | hundred and thirty-two thousand greater than the present popula- six hundred ways. Continuing tion of the earth. Now for the thus it is evident that the total time: a thousand years will take number of arrangements can be us back to the days of King arrived at by multiplying together Alfred. Another thousand years all the numbers fifty-two, fiftyand we are a long way prior to lone, fifty etc. down to one. The the birth of Christ. Two hundred result is a number represented by Moses leading the Israelities out | twelve of which are zeros. But

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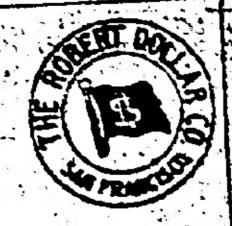
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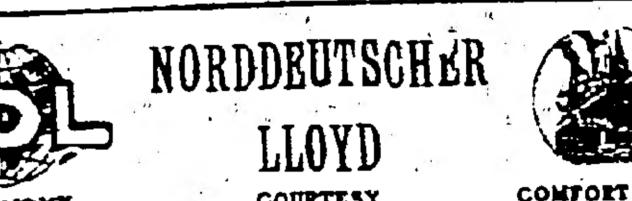
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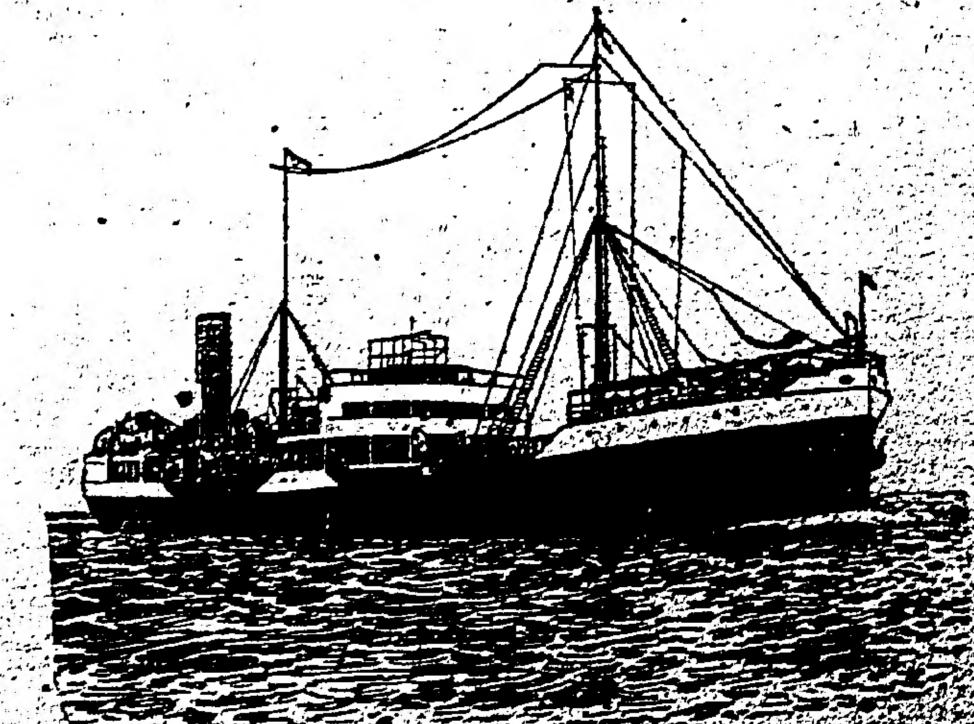
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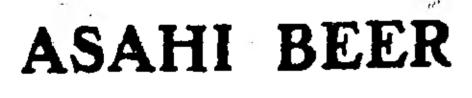
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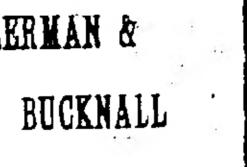
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SANDAKAN	Taisang Hosang	Wed. Fri. Sat. Sat.	7th Dec. at 7 a.m. 8th Dec. at 7 a.m. 8th Dec. at 10 a m.
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Chinese journalists and the Anglo- Holt's wharf. The Cargo will be Imerican Association. He leaves ready for delivery from Godown Shanghai, Nov. 22.—Sir Hoderick on Saturday by special coach attach on and after 28th. November. ed to the morning train for Shanghai en route to Tokya He will rie had a special audience with the break his journey at Ticutsin where a tiffin in his honour has been arranged at which he will meet the leading British citizens.-Reuter.

Fridays between the hours of WHY THE LADY WAS ANGRY. A merchant, Ivone Sensi, of free storage period. Lastra Signa, near Florence, deserted his young wife about a after the Goods have left the year ago, running off with Sign- steamer's Godown, and all Goods orina Martimelli, aged twenty, remaining undelivered after the who belonged to an old Florentine 4th. December. will be subject family. The outraged wife traced to rent. them to Genoa, had them taken All Claims against the Steamer up, and faced them in the police must be presented to the understation, where they informed her signed on or before the 18th. that they had no intention of December, or they will not be separating, even if they had to recognised. wait years for each other in prison. Ho Fire Insurance will be What upset the young wife more effected. than anything was the fact that

CONSIGNEES

NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS. SERVICES' CONTRACTUELS DES MESSAGERIES MAR-ITIMES.

S.S. "MEINAM"

Consignees of Cargo from Dunkirk, Antwerp & London. In conhection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored at their risks into the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Whart and Godown Co., Ltd. Kowloos whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before noon to-day requesting it to be landed bere

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned Goods remaining unclaimed after the 1st. Dec. 1923 at Noon will be subject to rent and lading charges

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 4th Dec. 1923 or they will not be recognized.

All damaged packages will be examined on Saturday the 1st Dec. 1923 at 10 a.m. by Messra

Goddard & Douglas. No Fire Insurance has been

Effected. R. RODENFUSER.

Hongkong, 25th. Nov. 1923.

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Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 27th inst. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 3rd.

prox. will be subject to rent. All claims against the steamer must be presented to the undersigned on or before the 13th. prox. or they will not be recognized.

All broken, chafed, & damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 3rd. pro. at 10 a.m. by our surveyors Measts. Goddard & Douglas.

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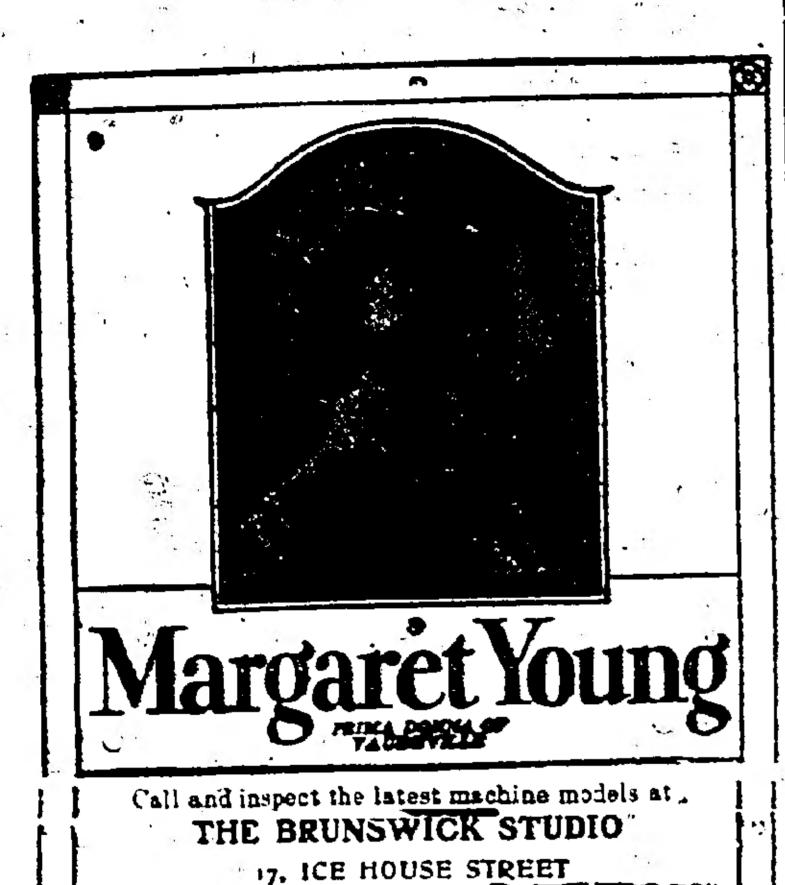
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BATTLE OF BOTTLES.

Anti-Spirit and Por-Wine War.

Thousands of protests are rir coming from wine shops and cafes throughout Italy owing to the law just passed reducing the number of wine shops to one for every 500 inhabitants.

This is the work of the Health Bureau, following the Government report on the effects of alcoholism.

Meanwhile wine growers are using the same sets of statistics in their propaganda showing the beneficial effects of substituting for spirituous liquors good Italian wines.

Health Bureau statistics show that the number of deaths from alcoholism in Italy numbered 600 in the past year or 16 for every million inhabitants.

Further deaths, it was suggested were from diseases due to the weakening effects of alcohol on

the system. These tables seem to indicate that 7 per cent. of the cases in mad houses are due to drink: while 45 per cents of the recorded crimes are scheduled as connected with or incited by

drink. A point of the wine growers is that in the provinces, where practically only good wine is drunk-in Sicily and Tuscany. &c. -deaths from alcohoism are rare; whereas in provinces like Venetia, where the peasants. owing to the climate, rely on schnapps and heavily alcoholic liqueurs to warn their blood. alchoolic deaths are frequent.

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ADVENTURES OF THREE TOURISTS.

A Boating Holiday, With Intervals of Gaol.

An amusing story of three Austrians (one woman and two men) who attempted to make a trip in an open boat from Sauthern Austria to the Black Sea goes to show how uncomfortable and even dangerous such a

The three travellers, who were school teachers from Staierska conceived the idea of buildand sailing down the rivers Mura Drava, and Danube to the Black Sea. They were to any of its other competitors. It sleep in the boat and to cook their meals on a stove. At the paper to be published, and the to sell their boat and return home

By the end of August the yawi was completed and the journey begun. They had not, however, reckoned with the circumstance that few people in the Balkans, least of all, the police, understand motives of pure enjoyment. It was inconceivable that any same person with innocent intentions would choose to travel in such a way, and, commencing with the Hungarians, the voyagers found that all revenue increased enormously, and care- officers took them for smugglers prietors—the Society of Licensed so that, in spite of their carrying tion of being able to provide passports in full order, they began to pass frequent days under arrest, and, as the Belgrade their boat to a fisherman for 800

to their schools. They offered police.

WEATHER REPORT.

Nov. 29d, 18h, 20m .- Warning to Hongkong. Depression or typhoon of unknown intensity with 120 miles of Lat. 19° N Long. 1393 E. moving N.E.

November 3od. 11h. 17m.-Pressure has decreased moderately at Guam and slightly at Yap, Labuan and Haiphong. It has increased slightly from

Shanghai to Luzon. The anticyclone is probably moving eastward. The typhoon appears to have

filled up Another may be forming between Yap and Guam. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day. 0.00 inch. Total since January 1st, 106.42 inches, against an average of 81.92 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON TO-MORROW. District. Forecast.

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H.K. & Lamocks N.E. winds, H'kong to Gap fresh:

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T. F. CLAXTON Director. Hongkong, Nov. 30.

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"Politaka" comments, "they dinars (£2), but he was suspicious spent more time in the darkness and they again found themselves of various lock ups than the fresh in custody. Freed once more, air of the Mura, Drava, and these adventurers have returned to Staierska. They have seen On October 10 they found little enough of the Black Sea. themselves before Belgrade - but have probably learned somealready late for ceturning thing of the nerves of post-war

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These mails are due in Victoria B.O. on 19th December.

Correspondence addressed to private houses in the neighbourhood of Repulse Bay can only be delivered through the Stanley Police Station and is bound therefore to be subject/to some delay in delivery. Residents who have town offices are advised to apply to the G.P.D. for the redirection of such correspondence. INWADD MAILS.

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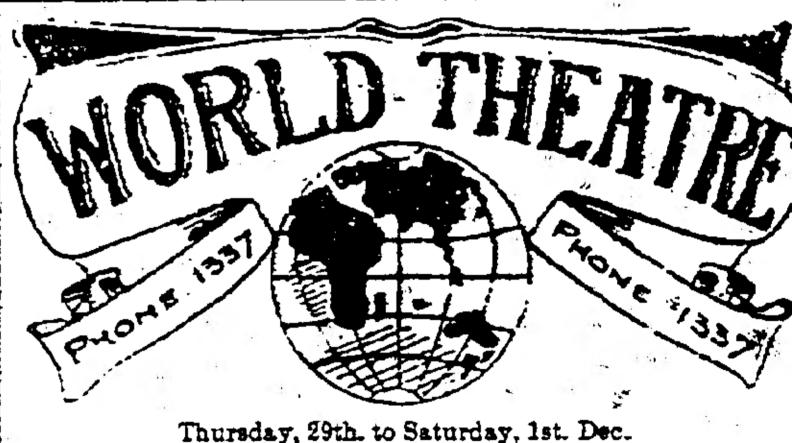
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